OSHA Citation Tracking Repeat Violations FY 2002

Installation	UIC	Inspection Date	Inspection Type	Violation Type	Standard Cited	Description	NAVOSH Reference	Abatement Date	Maximum Private Sector Penalty
Puget Sound Naval Shipyard, PSNS, Bremerton, WA	00251	3/7/2002	Complaint	Repeat	1910.179(c)(2)	Access to the cab and/or bridge walkway shall be by a conveniently placed fixed ladder, stairs, or platform requiring no step over any	11 Basic Requirements; Chapter 31	7/19/2002	\$70,000
US Navy, Puget Sound Naval, Bremerton, WA	00251	4/29/2002	Complaint	Repeat	1910.134(g)(1)(i)A	Respirators - The employer shall not permit respirators with tight-fitting facepieces to be worn by employees who have: Facial hair that comes between the sealing surface of the facepiece and the face or that interferes with valve function.	OPNAVINST 5100.23F Chapter 11 Basic Requirements; Chapter 15 Respiratory Protection	10/26/2002	\$70,000
Naval Base Ventura County, PWC, Point Mugu, CA	63410	7/17/2002	Follow-up	Repeat	1910.141(a)(5)	Vermin control. Every enclosed workplace shall be so constructed, equipped, and maintained, so far as reasonably practicable, as to prevent the entrance or harborage of rodents, insects, and other vermin. A continuing and effective extermination program shall be instituted where their presence is detected.	OPNAVINST 5100.23F Chapter 11 Basic Requirements; Chapter 5 Prevention and Control of Workplace Hazards	8/1/2002	\$70,000

Note:

The abatement date is established by the OSHA area office. The period of time to abate a hazard is the shortest interval that an employer can reasonably be expected to correct the violation.

The OSHA Act authorizes civil penalties be assessed for each alleged violation. Most Federal agencies are exempt from these fines. Penalties are based on four factors: 1) the gravity of the violation: 2) the size of the business; 3) the good faith of the employer; 4) the employer's history of previous violations.